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COURT DECISIONS.

Notes of Cases Recently Decided,  
Which are of Interest to  
Our People.

DIGESTED BY W. B. MARTIN,  
(Exclusively for Virginian-Pilot.)

HUTTON V. WEBB.  
Supreme Court of North Carolina.  
May 10, 1899.

ACT MARCH 9, 1897, AUTHORIZING  
A TOLL ON LOGS FLOATED  
DOWN CERTAIN STREAMS FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF REMOVING  
DRIFTWOOD IN SAID STREAMS,  
IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL, AS  
LEVYING A TAX ON PRIVATE  
PROPERTY FOR PRIVATE BENEFIT,  
AND NOT FOR THE PUBLIC  
GOOD.

The case is sufficiently shown by the  
opinion of the court.

The court says:

We think the judgment below should  
be affirmed. To our minds there is too  
little resemblance in a public turnpike  
road and a navigable water course to  
afford analogy for argument from  
which on the one hand, conclusions may be  
drawn. The turnpike is created by leg-  
islation, and can be abolished by leg-  
islation. But a navigable water course  
is not created by legislation. It is true  
that the legislature may by proper en-  
actment provide for the improvement  
of such waterway for the benefit of  
navigation. But the legislature cannot  
impose duties upon the commerce upon  
such waters, for the purpose of build-  
ing public bridges, and of cleaning out  
the fords, public and private, across  
such water courses. The right of taxa-  
tion or "assessment" is a grant of sov-  
ereign power, and can only be exercised  
for the public good. This sovereign  
power cannot be granted for private  
benefit or for corporate gain, unless  
such gain be incident to the public ben-  
efit, authorizing the exercise of the tax-  
ing power of government.

It is manifest from the provisions of  
this act that it was passed for the ben-  
efit of the counties of Burke, McDowell,  
and Caldwell, and not for the public  
good—the improvement of the naviga-  
tion of the streams there named—as  
their improvement for such purpose  
is not mentioned. The duty of this  
"board is to remove driftwood (that  
may gather at shoals on said streams  
when the water is low, so as to obstruct  
fords used for public and private cross-  
ings, or pond back the water) at any  
place on the Catawba river, etc. And  
this board is to provide for the ascer-  
tainment of the number of logs float-  
ed, and to fix the charge thereon; and  
"after paying for keeping the shoals as  
aforesaid, and for ascertaining the  
number of logs floated, any residue of  
the fund arising from said tolls shall be  
divided among said counties." This  
board is to report to the commissioners  
of each of the counties the respective  
part of dividends that belongs to it,  
and the commissioners shall "assess the  
same," and enter up judgment for said  
amount against the parties assessed,  
and execution shall issue thereon "as  
for other tax assessments." This act  
passed in the spring of 1897, and  
under its operation the plaintiff was  
taxed \$275.50 in the spring of 1898, and  
his property advertised for sale. In  
his private business enterprises in this  
state can stand such an assessment as  
this. In our opinion, it is in contraven-  
tion of the provision of article 8, sec-  
tion 4, of the constitution. But, aside  
from the provision of the constitution, we  
do not believe it can be sustained. It  
provides for the levy of "taxes or as-  
sessment" on private property for pub-  
lic benefit, and not for the public  
good. It is in conflict with the whole  
tenor and spirit of the constitution and  
of our institutions. It is an unauthor-  
ized exercise of sovereign power in the  
hands of this new board of commis-  
sioners, and we think the judgment of  
the court appealed from should be affirmed.

WHEELER V. CITY OF BOONE.  
Supreme Court of Iowa.  
April 8, 1899.

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING  
THE USE ON SIDEWALKS OF RI-  
CLES, OR VEHICLES, DOES  
NOT APPLY TO A TRICYCLE OP-  
ERATED BY HAND BY ONE UN-  
ABLE TO WALK.

IN SUCH CASE THE CITY WILL  
ONLY BE LIABLE FOR DAMAGES,  
IF IT WAS NEGLIGENT IN FAIL-  
ING TO KEEP THE SIDEWALK IN  
SUITABLE CONDITION FOR PEOP-  
LE TO WALK OVER.

This was a suit by a boy 14 years  
of age, who was unable to walk and  
therefore was obliged to ride a tri-  
cycle, for damages for injuries sustain-  
ed by him from a defect in a side-  
walk in the defendant city. There was  
a judgment for plaintiff and the city  
appealed. The court says:

The ordinance as to bicycles was evi-  
dently intended to cover the subject of  
vehicles of that general nature. What-  
ever may be said as to general rules of  
law prohibiting vehicles, including bi-  
cycles, on sidewalks, we have yet to  
learn of any general or local law pro-  
hibiting the use of carriages operated  
by hand on sidewalks for the conve-  
nience of those unable to walk; and no  
law should be given such effect by con-  
struction.

The court instructed that while the  
city was required to keep its sidewalk in  
reasonably safe condition for pedes-  
trians, exercising reasonable care, it  
was not required to keep them in safe  
condition for people riding thereon in  
tricycles and, as the accident in this  
case occurred while plaintiff was on a  
tricycle, the liability of the city must  
be tested by the same rule that would  
obtain had plaintiff been walking, and  
then been injured; that is, if the city  
was negligent in failing to keep the  
walk in suitable condition for people  
to walk over and plaintiff while riding  
on the tricycle, in the exercise of due  
care, was injured because of such  
neglect, he could recover. We think  
the rule a correct one. It differs from  
the oft-expressed rule only in this:  
That persons who have a right to ride  
on the sidewalks in such vehicles may  
rely, the same as footmen, on the walk  
being in a suitable condition for people  
to walk over, and have the same right  
in case of injuries resulting from neg-  
lect. Such a rule places no additional  
burden on the public, and seems to be  
just as to the individual.

All in sight of monument. "Newest  
Dental Rooms, Ennes only, 324  
Main street, corner Talbot.

BRAMBLETON WARD

Misses Lydia and Fannie Perry, of  
Baltimore, are guests of the Misses  
Franklin, No. 82 Tunstall avenue.  
Mrs. A. P. Roux and little daughter,  
Agnes Jeanette, who have been visiting  
Mrs. Roux's mother at North Reservoir  
avenue, have returned to their home in  
Franklin, Va.

Mrs. O. J. Prickett, of No. 141 North  
Reservoir avenue, accompanied by her  
son, Mr. John Prickett, left Monday on  
a visit to friends and relatives in  
Michigan.

Miss Maggie Turner, of Petersburg,  
is the guest of Miss Florence Barbour,  
of Lovitt avenue.

The McKendree M. E. Sunday school  
carried a large number of people on  
their excursion and picnic yesterday to  
Virginia Beach, where the day was  
pleasantly spent.

Rev. J. W. Baker, of Oaklette M. E.  
Church, Norfolk county, and Rev. Lloyd  
T. Williams, of Trinity, will exchange  
pulpits next Sunday morning and night.

The monthly meeting of the Inasmuch  
Circle of Kings Daughters, held at the  
residence of Miss Lottie Walters yester-  
day afternoon, was well attended and  
interesting reports were heard from the  
various committees.

Columbia Conclave Heptasophs, or  
S. W. M., will confer the degrees upon  
several candidates at their meeting  
next Monday night.

Everybody says Diggs' pineapple  
sauce is the best. Sold in Brambleton  
only by T. B. Turner every day except  
Sunday. Pure ice cream daily, July 21.

There will be a public installation of  
officers of Industrial Council, No. 22, Jr.  
O. U. A. M., at Kern Hall, Brambleton,  
Friday evening, the 7th instant, at 8.30  
o'clock. There will be speaking and re-  
freshments. The public is invited.

ATLANTIC CITY WARD

The home of Mrs. Mary S. Davis, on  
Second street, was the scene last night  
of a quiet but pretty wedding, when  
her daughter, Mrs. Mable S. Wright,  
became the bride of Mr. William Jon-  
athan Whitehurst, of Princess Anne  
county.

The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. J.  
D. Howell, of the Baptist Church, in the  
presence of the immediate family  
of the bride and a few close friends of  
the happy couple.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a  
reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. White-  
hurst will reside with the bride's moth-  
er at the present time.

BRIEF MENTION.  
The threatening weather interfered  
somewhat with the lawn party given by  
the Sunday school class of Miss Mc-  
Donald on the Presbyterian Manse last  
night. It will be repeated Monday and  
Tuesday nights of next week.

Odell Hall is improving his prop-  
erty on the corner of Olney road  
and Manteo avenue by putting down  
granite pavements. He proposes  
shortly to set out a number of shade  
trees.

The ladies of Colley Memorial Church  
will hold a lawn social on the grounds  
of the church, Monday and Tuesday of  
next week.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

PRACO LATINUS.—We have re-  
ceived from the publishers a copy of  
the above named periodical, which is  
published in the Latin language. One of the most interesting  
articles is a translation into Latin of  
part of Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar." In  
it one can almost hear the old Ro-  
mans (Brutus and Cassius) speaking  
their great dialogue, which has become  
famous as a recitation. The magazine is  
published entirely in Latin by Praco  
Latinus, 1228 Spring Garden street,  
Philadelphia, Pa. \$1.50 per year in ad-  
vance.

The July issue of Scribner's is here  
with a real treat for magazine readers  
in the following table of contents:  
"John Le Farge," Russell Sturgis; "The  
Letters of Robert Louis Stevenson," ed-  
ited by Sidney Colvin; "The Chronicles  
of Anne Minerva," by Charles Harris;  
"The Foreign Mail Service," a poem,  
Benjamin Paul Blood; "Daniel Web-  
ster," by Senator Hoar, of Mass.; "The  
Celebrants," a poem, Carolyn Wells;  
"Havana Since the Occupation," Jas. F.  
Archibald; "The White Blackbird," a  
story, Eliza Follen; "The Enduring," a  
poem, James Whitcomb Riley; "Search-  
light Letters," Robert Grant; "Anne,"  
a story, Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson;  
"Hush," a sonnet, Julia C. R. Dorr.  
Price \$2 a year.

LIPPINCOTT'S.—Lippincott's for July  
has a complete novel entitled "The Fox  
Woman," by John Luther Long, as its  
principal number, in a very interesting  
table of contents. "The Fox Woman"  
is an highly interesting and very well  
written story, well worth reading. J. B.  
Lippincott Co., Phila. Price \$3 a year.

AINSLIES MAGAZINE contains the  
following table of contents: "The Des-  
cent of Mohammed Salim," Gilbert  
Parker; "The Coming of the Circus," by  
Eugene Wood; "The Pardon of Thomas  
Whalen," a story, Frank Wright; "The  
Science of Handwriting," Daniel T.  
Ames, and others. Street & Smith, N.  
Y. City. \$1 per year.

NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW.—The  
following is the table of contents of the  
North American Review for July:  
"Americanism—True and False," by  
R. W. Williams Barry, D. D.; "Universal  
Peace," by Baroness Bertha von Sutt-  
ner; "England and the Transvaal," by  
Sydney Brooks; "Our Public Schools,"  
a reply, by Mrs. Schuyler Van Rensselaer;  
"The Government of Greater New  
York," by Bard S. Coler, Compt.; the  
third part of General Miles' article on  
the war with Spain; and others. Pub-  
lished at 11 Warren street, New York  
City. \$5 per year.

THE VIRGINIA MAGAZINE sets  
forth many interesting articles to those  
interested in the "Old" Virginia—the  
genealogy of the Foote, Pryor, Payne,  
Rodes, Withers, Yates, Booker and Cole  
families are given, and the will of  
Christopher Robinson, 1693, is very in-  
teresting. Price \$5 a year. By the Vir-  
ginia Historical Society, Richmond, Va.

The fact that a bottle appears to con-  
tain a quart of whiskey doesn't make it  
it does hold a quart, even if it is  
printed "full quart" on the label.  
A bottle of G. O. Taylor Whiskey, as  
sealed, contains 26 ounces. It has never  
contained more during the 23 years it  
has been bottled.

Of the imitations of G. O. Taylor  
whiskey, represented to hold a quart (22  
ounces) held 36 fluid ounces, and the white  
key has added to it 15 per cent. of water,  
which, on a dozen bottles, if valued at \$10,  
decreases the cost \$1.50, or the real value  
to \$8.50.

If a physician prescribes whiskey for  
sickness he does not intend his patient  
shall drink water, particularly if whiskey  
stimulant, to increase the circula-  
tion or to build up wasting tissues.  
G. O. Taylor whiskeys can be depended  
upon for real worth in the sick room. Get  
the genuine and see that our firm name is  
on the label and over the cork in each  
bottle.

CHESTER H. GRAVES & SONS.  
For sale at White Bros., Norfolk, Va.,  
Brown's Hotel, Portsmouth, Va.

THE COURTS  
YESTERDAY

The Norfolk Grand Jury Makes  
Four Presentments.

CHECK FLASHING CASE

Emanuel Hochstadter Wanted Here,  
but is in Texas—W. A. Coke and  
Substitute Police Officer Tyson  
Indicted—The Parker Case—Shel-  
don Discharge—Charged With Mur-  
der—Vessels Labeled.

A special grand jury was impaneled  
by Judge Hancok, of the Corporation  
Court, yesterday. After returning four  
true bills in the cases they were called  
to consider, the jury was dismissed. It  
consisted of the following gentlemen:  
W. T. Hyslop, foreman; R. S. Brough-  
ton, S. Marx, W. B. East, John F.  
Small, E. T. Jakeman, E. E. Dawes  
and Charles Barnard.

CHECK FLASHING.  
The first true bill was against Eman-  
uel Hochstadter, a former commercial  
traveler, against whom the forgery of  
a check for \$150 on the Astor Place  
Bank, of New York City, is charged.  
The check was cashed by Mr. E. Wert-  
heimer, of Norfolk. Hochstadter is now  
in Texas in jail on a similar charge,  
and the indictment against him here  
was brought for the purpose of having  
him brought here for trial in the event  
he should escape punishment for his  
offense in Texas. He is evidently a  
very slick personage, judging from the  
clever manner in which he swindled Mr.  
Wertheimer. It seems that Mr. Wert-  
heimer knew some of Hochstadter's  
people, and Mr. Wertheimer's son and  
Hochstadter were known to each other,  
both being commercial travelers.

Hochstadter, who traveled for a New  
York house, came to Norfolk and went  
around to see Mr. Wertheimer, and in-  
fidentially mentioned, after he had talk-  
ed with that gentleman for some little  
time, that he was short of funds, and  
said Mr. Wertheimer would confer a  
great favor upon him if he would cash  
a check for \$150 which he held. The  
check was drawn in favor of Hochstad-  
ter, and was purported to be signed by  
J. B. Kleiner, and was payable at the  
Astor Place Bank. It also purported to  
be certified by John T. Perkins, the  
cashier of that bank.

Mr. Wertheimer, knowing Hochstad-  
ter's people and that his firm was all  
right, did not hesitate to cash the  
check. However, when he sent it for  
payment, it was returned to him with  
the word "fraud" written across the  
upper left-hand corner in red ink.

W. A. COKE INDICTED.  
An indictment, charging W. A. Coke  
with feloniously assaulting James A.  
Ridgwell, was returned. Mr. Coke ap-  
peared before Judge Hancok and made  
application for a continuance of his  
case until the first Monday in August,  
which was granted. Mr. A. S. Lambert  
was accepted as surety on Mr. Coke's  
bail bond in the sum of \$1,000.

INDICTMENT AGAINST TYSON.  
The jury found a true bill against  
Substitute Police Officer James G. Ty-  
son, for shooting J. Wilbur Stokes. The  
bill charges felonious assault.

THE PARKER CASE.  
George Parker, colored, will face a  
jury for the third time. He is the ne-  
gro who attempted to drown Special  
Officer Ashbury, who arrested him for  
purloining oysters at Craney Island  
last Spring. There was a mistrial in  
his case the first time, and on the sec-  
ond trial the jury found him guilty,  
but his attorney, Mr. P. J. Morris, suc-  
ceeded in securing an arrest of judg-  
ment on technical grounds.

Yesterday another indictment was  
returned, charging felonious assault. It  
is believed that Mr. Morris will make  
an effort to have the indictment quash-  
ed on the ground that the prisoner has  
been put in jeopardy twice for the same  
offense and a legal conviction had  
fallen each time.

A QUALIFICATION.  
Mrs. Angelica Burgess qualified in the  
Law and Chancery Court as guardian  
of Davis Parker Burgess, under a  
bond of \$100.

Judge Hancok authorized the trans-  
fer of the retail liquor license of H.  
M. Lee, at No. 104 Union street, to  
F. K. Lee.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.  
Marriage licenses were granted yester-  
day to the following couples:  
August Miller and Annie DeGraw,  
both of Norfolk.

James Parker and Alice Jackson, col-  
ored, of Norfolk.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.  
Deeds were recorded in the Clerk's  
office yesterday making the following  
transfers of property:

From the Ghent Company to Mary K.  
Glennan, lot on Olney Road, \$350.

From the Norfolk College for Young  
Ladies to John L. Roper, lot and Nor-  
folk College building at the north-  
east intersection of Granby street and  
College Place; \$30,000 and assumption of  
the indebtedness of the college by the  
purchaser.

THE POLICE COURT.  
J. F. Ingalls, a white man, was fined  
\$2 for a drunk. He paid his fine and  
walked out.

John Savage, colored, made a savage  
assault on Martha Brown, and the Pol-  
ice Justice fined him \$5.

William Lawrence, colored, worked the  
"lock game" on J. Robinson, secur-  
ing \$5 from his victim. He was arrested  
by Officers Pentress and West. The Jus-  
tice ordered him to jail for three  
months.

William Watts, colored, the negro  
who shot at a man on Nimmo's farm,  
near the city water works, was turned  
over to the Norfolk county authorities.  
R. T. Jacobs, white, was made to pay  
a \$2 fine for being drunk on the streets.

Sarah Anthony, colored, was fined  
\$3.50 for trespass.

James Jeffries assaulted Gee Lee, a  
Chinaman, and Justice Tomlin fined  
him \$5 and costs.

Charles Cantrell, who fought Della  
Stovall, a colored soubrette, was fined  
\$5.

SHELDON DISCHARGED.  
Rube Sheldon, the walking advertise-  
ment for a local restaurant, whose  
funny pranks got him arrested on Main  
street Wednesday, was discharged, it

appearing to the court that the man  
didn't mean any harm by what he did.  
CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Charles Yellock was turned over to  
the Norfolk county authorities. The  
charge against him now is that of  
murder, William Freeman, whom he  
shot, having died at St. Vincent's Hos-  
pital yesterday afternoon.

VESSEL LABELLED.  
Through his counsel, Mr. Hugh G.  
Miller, Edward W. Corbin, a seaman,  
yesterday filed libel papers against the  
Norfolk county authorities. The libel  
yacht Pocahontas, owned by David  
Dunlap, Jr. Corbin claims \$5,000 dam-  
ages for injuries received on the ves-  
sel at City Point on the James river.

THE SUPREME COURT.  
SEVERAL OPINIONS HANDED  
DOWN YESTERDAY.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)  
Wytheville, Va., July 6.—The follow-  
ing decisions were handed down in the  
Supreme Court to-day:

Keith, P.  
Kane vs. Virginia Coal and Iron  
Company, Circuit Court of Washington  
county. Affirmed.

Lockhart, et al., vs. Vandyke, et al.,  
Circuit Court of Tazewell county.  
Affirmed.

Riely, J.  
Armistead vs. Hart, Hustings Court  
city of Portsmouth. Affirmed.

Vaughan vs. Vaughan, Circuit Court  
of Hanover county. Affirmed.

Harrison, J.  
Town of Gate City vs. Richmond, Cir-  
cuit Court of Scott county. Affirmed.

Price vs. Walls, exor., Circuit Court  
of Montgomery county. Affirmed.

Southern Railway Company vs.  
Glenn's admr., Circuit Court of Henrico  
county. Appeal. Bond \$300.

N. Y. P. & N. R. Co. vs. Cromwell,  
Law and Chancery Court, city of Nor-  
folk. Writ of error and supersedeas.  
Bond, \$1,200.

Hughes' guardian vs. City of Staunton,  
Hustings Court city of Staunton.  
Writ of error and supersedeas. No  
bond.

Holt vs. N. and W. Rwy. Co., Hust-  
ings Court, Buena Vista. Writ of error  
refused.

Robinet vs. Morgan, Circuit Court of  
Blanco county. Appeal refused.

N. & W. Stevens' admr. Argued.

Auction Sale of Watermelons.

At 10 o'clock this morning Mr. R. R.  
Morris, manager of the Morris Auction-  
house, will dispose of at public sale at  
their auction-house, on Washington  
street, two car loads of South Carolina  
watermelons. A rare opportunity for  
merchants to secure bargains.

Capt. Veltine Ill.

Captain of Police Veltine was too ill  
to be on duty last night. The Captain  
went home sick Wednesday night. His  
friends hope to see him out again to-  
day or to-morrow, however.

SOUTHERN PROGRESS.

A SYNOPSIS OF A WEEK'S DEVELOP-  
MENT.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)  
Baltimore, July 6.—In the midst of the  
great movements affecting the develop-  
ment of the coal and iron resources of  
the South, attention is likely to be di-  
verted from the steady progress of the  
smaller industries of that section. These  
are the natural consequences of the ad-  
vance in textile manufacturing and the  
enlargement of the operations in iron.  
The South is repeating the economic  
history of elder industrial centers. While  
the cotton mill industry of New  
England and the iron works of Penn-  
sylvania were not the actual begin-  
nings of manufacturing in those parts  
of the country, they contributed im-  
mensely to the cultivation of industrial  
instincts, and upon them were based  
a multitude of successful undertakings,  
handing to the second, third and far-  
ther stages the material coming from  
the mills and forges. Conditions have  
changed, but they are not preventing a  
duplication to some extent in the South  
of movements which made New Eng-  
land and the Middle States. One of the  
great economic changes which have oc-  
curred is due to the necessity, increas-  
ing day by day, for greater economies  
in handling the raw material. A nat-  
ural consequence of this is the strong  
tendency of investors to seek the field  
where such economies are most practi-  
cable. Such a field is the South. It may  
reasonably be expected that the same  
spirit will accelerate the growth of  
minor industries around the larger  
ones. Indication of this tendency ap-  
pears in the list of new undertakings  
reported by the Manufacturers' Record  
for the past week, and that week  
rapidly diminished by a third be-  
cause of holiday. Among them are the  
following:

Arkansas—An ice factory at Forest  
City; the purchase of 19,000 acres of  
timber land, the development of which  
for lumber will necessitate the erection  
of two saw mills and the building of  
from eight to ten miles of railroad.

Alabama—Water works at Ononta;  
the erection of a saw-mill and seven  
hundred acres upon properties ac-  
quired in the recent large deals.

Florida—An electric light plant and  
telephone exchange at Monticello; ma-  
chine shops and round house at Mil-  
ami.

Georgia—An ochre mill at Carters-  
ville; a cotton mill of 5,000 spindles and  
looms at Greensboro; a crosewing  
plant at Augusta; a planing mill, sash  
and door factory at Macon.

Kentucky—Stove foundry at Augus-  
ta; distillery at Louisville.

Louisiana—A \$20,000 rice mill at  
Friendsville; telephone factory at Bal-  
timore; butter dish factory and wood  
working factory at Cambridge.

Mississippi—Water works and sewer-  
age at Aberdeen; rebuilding of fertiliz-  
er factory at Meridian.

North Carolina—Rice mill at Fayette-  
ville; addition to such-cord factory at  
Charlotte; water works at Rockingham;  
canning factory at Elizabeth City; en-  
largement of cotton mills at Maydani;  
grain elevator of 20,000 bushels capacity  
at Raleigh; two story cotton mill, with  
capacity of 5,000 spindles and 250  
looms at Shelby.

South Carolina—Flour mill at York-  
ville; sawmill with daily capacity of  
40,000 feet of lumber and dry kilns at  
Monticello.

Tennessee—300 coke ovens in connec-  
tion with the development of 200,000  
acres of coal land in Cumberland,  
Roane and other counties; additions to  
the plant of zinc mines at Mossy Creek;  
doubling capacity of cotton mill at  
Cuervo; cotton bale ginnership at Ferris.

Virginia—Increasing capacity of the  
iron furnace at Bristol; replacing of a  
fire-proof foundry at Lynchburg; a  
stave mill at Roanoke; increasing ca-  
pacity of flour mill at Dublin; sawmill  
at Radford.

West Virginia—Sixty coke ovens at

Benwood; water works at Montgom-  
ery; electric light plant at Point  
Pleasant.

These undertakings are either under  
way or are definitely planned. They  
do not include the announcements of  
quite a number of incorporations for  
various industrial projects in the dif-  
ferent States, nor the evidences of pros-  
perity manifested in the erection of  
dwellings, churches, business houses  
and public buildings. Among these may  
be mentioned two churches and a par-  
sonage at Baltimore; a \$5,000 business  
house at Petersburg; a \$50,000 depot at  
Richmond, Va.; a five-story hotel at  
Greensboro, N. C.; courthouse improve-  
ment at Scottsboro, Ala.; a \$40,000 busi-  
ness building at Birmingham; an armory  
at Chattanooga, Tenn.; a record  
building for the court at Marion, S. C.;  
a warehouse at Sherman, Texas.

Considerable activity is also observ-  
ed among the railroads from Virginia  
to Texas. Construction of new lines or  
extension of old ones, and improve-  
ments to roadbeds, rolling stock, or de-  
pots being made in one direction and  
another to make close connections or to  
tap a productive field.

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